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Grand Trunk Time Table

Trains leave Mildmay station as follows:

GOING SOUTH		GOING NORTH	
Express.....	7:11 a.m.	Express.....	10 a.m.
Express.....	11:37 a.m.	Express.....	1:40 p.m.
Express.....	3:12 p.m.	Express.....	8:36 p.m.
The 7:11 a.m. and 1:40 p.m. trains carry mail.			

LOCAL & PERSONAL

Hogs sold at \$6.75 per cwt on Monday. Mr. William Carnegie is under the doctor's care.

Miss Roeding of Ayton is visiting at W.H. Holtzmann's.

Jos. Becker has moved to Alex Fedy's house on Absalom street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ignatz Emel of Provost Alberta are visiting relatives in Carrick. Messrs. Jas. Baptist and John McDonald of Teeswater visited friends in town.

Henry Schultheis, blacksmith, has been laid up for the past two weeks with sciatica.

Ezra Yandt went to Toronto on Monday to take a course at Moler's barber college.

The Misses Hammer returned to Mildmay this week, and have re-opened their dressmaking rooms.

John Hudson of Bentinck sold a pair of unbroken matched colts for \$336 to Conrad Hill of Carrick.

Messrs. Robt. Smith of Calgary and Jas. Hunter of Walkerton visited their friend, Jas. Scott on Tuesday.

"Dippy" Lobsinger has resigned his position at Hamel's factory and has gone to Chesley to take a situation.

John Dustow intends leaving to-day for Rainy River to spend a couple of weeks with his sister, Mrs. J. Harrison.

Mrs. John Buhlman was unfortunate enough to fall heavily on the ice the other day, and is now confined to her bed.

Mr. Mair of New Hamburg was here last week relieving G. T. R. agent O'Brien, who was away at Stratford for a few days.

Mrs. John Crandall returned to Brantford last week after spending a few months with her mother, Mrs. Louis Scheffer.

Green wood is hard to get here this winter, and a number of our citizens are still looking for a supply. \$2.25 per cord is the prevailing price.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Downey of Fordwich and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wilson and daughter of Brussels visited at Dr. Wilson's last week.

Mr. Louis Braun and Miss Kate Braun left on Monday to spend a month in St. Paul, after which they will go to Alberta for the summer.

Joseph Hoffarth of Karlsruhe lost a valuable cow last week. The animal got its head fastened in the manger during the night and was dead in the morning.

Henry Weber's ferret came to an ignominious finish one day last week when one of our prominent citizens mistook it for a weasel and put the animal to death.

James Warren C.E. of Walkerton and Reeve Filsinger were at Moltke on Tuesday afternoon inspecting the bridge on the Normanby townline, just north of that burg, with a view to rebuilding same.

The Huntingfield checker club went down to defeat again on Tuesday evening of this week, when the 2nd concession "Movers" won by a score of 11 to 7 on the round. The Huntingfield club was captained by Mr. John Renwick, who puthis opponent to rout by winning three straights.

A meeting of unusual interest was held by the Women's Institute on Friday afternoon last at the residence of Dr. Doering when Dr. Wilson gave a very instructive talk on "Germ Life," which proved very helpful to the many members who were fortunate enough to be present.



Now is the time to get your papering done before the busy House-Cleaning time. I have about \$600.00 worth of fine Wall Paper, all the latest designs and colorings at very reasonable prices. I will sell all Borders by the roll at same price as wall paper and will trim all papers free of charge. Please call in and see the new patterns at J. F. Schuett's Furniture Store, Mildmay, Ont.

Carrick Council will meet on Monday March 20th.

Miss Melinda Pletsch of Stratford was home over Sunday.

Don't wait till tomorrow. Order that sack of Cyclone Flour to-day.

Solomon Miller has moved into Mrs. Bohn's house on Stinson Street.

Rev. A. R. Gibson will occupy the pulpit in the Methodist church next Sunday evening, at 7.30.

Strong Boy wanted to learn baking. Salary \$10 a month and board. Apply to H. Keelan, Mildmay.

Fred Schwalm left on Thursday last to resume his position at Regina, after spending two months here.

We learn that Mr. John Coult's sr. of the 8th concession will retire from farm life for a time, and will probably move to this village.

W. J. Pomeroy loaded his car of horses at Gorrie on Tuesday and shipped them to Saskatchewan. He accompanied the car, and will be away about six weeks.

The funeral of the late Louis Macke took place on Thursday afternoon to the Mildmay Evangelical cemetery, and was attended by a large concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives.

Liesemer & Co. are keeping right up to the times. They have installed some water motor washing machines. Simply attach the hose to the water tap and it does your work.

March came in with rough, stormy weather, but the past week has been the finest of the winter. In four weeks from now Carrick farmers will in all probability be commencing their spring work.

Mrs. and Mrs. John D. Miller and family of Chesley intend leaving next week for their new home at Castor, Alta. Mrs. John W. Faupel of Carrick will accompany them on their trip to Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. O'Brien and Miss Hazel, were at Stratford last week attending the wedding of the former's sister, Miss Elizabeth O'Brien to Mr. Lawrence Beale of Stratford. Mr. and Mrs. Beale are spending their honeymoon at Mildmay.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. Louis Macke wishes to sincerely thank the many friends for their numerous personal acts of kindness and words of sympathy during their bereavement, and also the choir of the Mildmay Evangelical Church for their services at the funeral of her late husband.

New Liquor Law.

This week it has been made known why the government wanted Inspector Cannon to get an inventory of the business done by the hotels in his inspectorate. Hon. Mr. Hanna has introduced a bill into the Legislature to compel every bar in the province that does a business exceeding \$40 a day to pay 5 per cent of all bar receipts over and above the amount stated above. And the money must be paid by the 10th of March.

Sold His Farm.

Joseph Kunkel has disposed of his farm on the Formosa road, formerly owned by W. C. Kloefer, to his brother-in-law, Mr. Peter Zimmer, who gets possession in the spring. Mr. Kunkel will move back to Mildmay in the near future.

A Fine Heifer.

John Harper of the 3rd concession delivered an extra good heifer to Jacob Schmidt last week. The animal was 2 years 11 months old and tipped the scale at 1420 lbs. She was the best quality heifer seen on the Toronto market last week. Mr. Harper is to be congratulated on his success as a stock feeder.

Dam Broke.

The upper mill pond sprung a leak on Monday morning of this week, and the water came down in torrents. The owners of the lower dams were notified in time to open their flood gates, and no further damage resulted. It is unfortunate for E. Witter & Co. that the defect occurred just at this season of the year, when the repairing of it will be so difficult.

Presentation to Pastor.

On Thursday evening, Feb. 26th, the congregation of the Cotswold Presbyterian church presented their pastor, Rev. Mr. Wilson of Rothsay with an address accompanied by a fur-lined coat with cap and gloves to match. The presentation was made at the new manse in Rothsay, where those present spent a very enjoyable evening with their pastor.

Hurt at Niagara.

Mr. Robert Moran, of Niagara Falls, a former resident of Mildmay, was seriously injured in an explosion which took place last Friday. Mr. Moran in company with several other carpenters, was at work on the power house of the Ontario Power Company at Niagara when a terrific explosion, caused by a leaking gas pipe, occurred. Three men were killed, two were fatally injured, and six others were badly hurt. Mr. Moran had his back and head injured, but will probably recover.

Barber Turns Butcher.

The Kincardine Reporter announces that a barber in that town has sold out and purchased a butcher business there. Whether the barber was anything of a butcher before we do not know, but we have painful information to show that many whisker trimmers to-day would be serving the world better by swinging the cleaver over murdered beef than drawing the razor over living souls. The barber's chair is certainly a great place to train for the butcher's block.

Chesley Wins District.

There was a great game of hockey at Walkerton on Tuesday evening when Chesley and Durham came together to play a sudden death game to decide the winners of this district of the Northern league hockey. Both clubs travelled in special trains, and the rink was jammed to the doors, fully one thousand people witnessing the game. Chesley played a beautiful game, and won by 7 to 3. The game was refereed by Fred Waggoner of Toronto. Chesley will next play Mount Forest for the championship of the Northern League.

Debate On Reciprocity.

The Yokasippi Mutual Improvement Society will hold a debate and concert at Inglis' School on Friday evening, March 17th. The subject of the debate will be "Resolved that Reciprocity is a benefit to Canada." The speakers for the affirmative are Erwin Zinn, Scott Inglis, H. Johann, and for the negative, Fred Yohann, W. E. Lucas and George Lowry. The Glee Club will render a number of choruses, and the Belmore orchestra will also be present. Recitations, dialogues, etc., will also be given. The admission fee is 10 cents. The net proceeds will go to the Bruce Co. Hospital.

A Sudden Call.

One of the most sudden and lamented deaths ever witnessed in Drayton took place on Sunday evening last, 26th Feb. 1911, when Miss Eva Hefkey, 2nd daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. C. Hefkey breathed her last. She was out on Friday evening for a snow-shoe exercise, spent all day Saturday until half past ten at night in the store without a word of complaint as to not feeling well. Before retiring that partook of a light lunch, apparently enjoying it. Shortly after one o'clock, however, she awakened Mrs. Harvey saying she had a terribly suffocating sensation. A Dr. was called at once, who pronounced it pneumonia. Treatment was given all day but early in the afternoon hope was abandoned and although she retained consciousness to the last and was very tenacious to life, she passed away about ten minutes after eight o'clock.—Drayton Advocate. Deceased was a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wendt of Mildmay, and is well known here.

Nickel Farm Sold.

William J. Nickel has disposed of his farm lot 16, concession 4, Carrick, to Mr. Joseph Filsinger, for the sum of about three thousand dollars. Mr. Nickel intends leaving for the west next week.

Box Social.

A box social and entertainment will be held at P. S. S. No. 2, Carrick (Otter Creek) on Tuesday evening, March 14th. A fine program is being prepared, and the proceeds of the entertainment will go towards purchasing a school library. Admission 10 cents, Ladies bringing boxes free.

Jacob Lerch Sells Out.

Jacob Lerch of the 5th concession has sold his fine 100 acre farm this week to his neighbor, Mr. Daniel Steimler, who gets possession about the first of April. Mr. Lerch is looking for another farm, but so far he has not secured one. The price paid for this farm is about \$6000.

Reuber Residence Sold.

Mrs. Mary Sieling has purchased the fine brick residence on the corner of Church and Elora Streets, from the executors of the Maria Reuber estate. The purchaser gets immediate possession, but is going to make some improvements and alterations in the house before moving in. The price paid was \$1000.

The Spring Show.

The Carrick Agricultural Society will meet soon to set the date for holding the Mildmay Spring Show. This event promises to be a bigger success than ever. The prize list having been increased and revised somewhat from former years. The Mildmay Spring Show attracts exhibitors from a great distance. Keep a lookout for the date.

Bought Wagner Property.

Jos. Kunkel is now the possessor of the Wagner property in this village, having purchased the same two weeks ago. He has moved his wagon shop to his new premises, and we understand that it is his intention to put in a stock of hardware in the front part. Louis Pletsch has had this property leased as an implement warehouse for the past three years.

Take Notice.

Postmaster Murat advises parents not to send young children to the post office for the mail, for the result is often that letters are lost in the journey home and the post office people come in for censure. Recently a number of letters which were found on the street were returned to the office. It would be wise to send responsible persons only to get the mail.

Off To The West.

Ten passengers left the Mildmay station on Tuesday for the West. They were:—Nicholas Schwalm, for Kinderley, Sask.; Fred Boettger to Olds, Alta.; Maurice and Victor Stumpf for Carstairs; Fred Engel for Didsbury; Frank Rich and Ignatz Schlosser for Pangman, Sask.; and Joseph and Jacob Albrecht and Nicholas Durrer to Windthorst, Sask. They were all ticketed by J. A. Johnston, C. P. R. Agent, Mildmay.

Joint Stock Company.

The following appeared in the Craik, News and will be of interest to some of our readers:—The Goetz Harness Company, Limited, a joint stock company that is now being organized, has purchased the harness and saddlery business of J. N. Stewart of Regina. The purchase price being \$11,000. The organizer of the company is E. J. Goetz of this town, who will have charge of the business. He will still, however, continue his store here under his own name with A. Cookburn as manager. Mr. Goetz is an old Mildmay boy, and his many friends here will be pleased to learn of his prosperity.

Beat The Combination Team.

A septette of hockey players comprised of the best that the villages of Gorrie Fordwich and Wroxeter could produce, visited Mildmay last Friday evening, and met defeat at the hands of the locals by a score of 13 to 4. The visitors, who are a husky bunch, came over confident of winning, and several bets were made on the result. The game commenced with Mr. McLean of Wroxeter handling the bell, and in the first stages of the game it was doubtful which team was the stronger. E. Diebel, the game goalkeeper, was ruled off for slashing, and the visitors took advantage of his absence by scoring the first goal. Mildmay soon evened up, and followed with four more before the expiration of first half. In the second half Mildmay scored eight goals to the visitors' three, leaving the score 13 to 4. It was a great game, and it demonstrated clearly that Mildmay has a strong bunch of hockeyists. Berry, Devlin and Pletsch play an exceptionally strong game and bored through the visitors' defence at will. Mildmay hasn't lost a game this season.

John Cronin is Postmaster.

Mr. John Cronin has taken over the postmastership of Ambelside, and the office is now at his residence, a quarter of a mile north of the corner. Mr. Cronin is a good, square, obliging fellow and will, no doubt discharge his duties faithfully. The change suits the people to the north pretty well, but some of those to the south are going to change their address to Belmore. Mr. Seitz, the former postmaster is still living at Ambelside.

10th Concession.

Mr. Wm. Reuber is busy drawing cedar logs to Bidd's mill to be cut into shingles.

Mr. and Mrs. Con. Hammer were visiting at Mr. Fred Lauman's last Sunday. Mrs. Henry Wiseman went to Ayton Tuesday to visit her son Chas.

Mr. Jos. Schickler and son are working for Mr. Con. Rosman this week.

Mr. Martin Diggolt's driver died two weeks ago. Martin thinks he will not buy another horse, as a horse is more of a luxury than a necessity for him.

Mr. Fred Schmidt, hunter, shot a beautiful fox last week. Fred is a good hunter and a crack shot.

Mr. Frank Eckenswiler is having a wood bee this week (Thursday) and his Mrs. a quilting bee on the same day.

Mr. Henry Wolfe, who I reported last week, as being the lucky man, is moving on Mr. Fred Klages' farm, better known as the Helwig farm.

Miss Lydia Boettger, who has been seriously ill, is recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weber were visiting in Mildmay last Sunday.

Miss Emma and Katie Hammer have returned home after a five weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Juergens were visiting at Mr. Anthony Weber's last Sunday.

Mr. Samuel Losch left for Madison, New Ont., yesterday where he is thinking of settling on a homestead. We wish him the best of success.

Many farm teams are employed hauling sand to Neustadt Chair Factory from Mr. David Wildfang's farm.

FORMOSA.

An incident occurred near here a couple of weeks ago which deserves special mention. While the scholars were returning home from the school in Culross, near this village, a young lad named Schlosser, slipped and fell into a water hole on the side of the road, where the water was about eight feet deep. His companion, Harry Fedy, son of Ambrose Fedy, without a moment's hesitation, plunged in after him and with the assistance of Mrs. P. Kelly, who drove along at the time, rescued the drowning lad. After his brave act, the boy jumped on to a load of wood and drove home, a distance of a mile and a half, and had it not been for his wet clothes, would probably not have mentioned the event. This boy deserves a medal for his bravery and presence of mind, for he risked his life to save that of his companion.

NEUSTADT.

The Reeve has issued orders for hauling gravel to be used for building sidewalk, so that the work may commence early in the spring.

Material is being hauled daily, to be in building the addition to the factory.

William Fritz intends moving to town and has purchased John Widmeyer's residence.

A number from here attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Jos. Ernewein, who died in Alberta last week. Mr. Ernewein will return to Alberta in about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kreller of Hanover spent the Sunday in town.

The station is being repaired, painted and other improvements made.

Mrs. M. Foster is at present visiting her daughter in Elmira.

Mr. and Mrs. Ignatz Ernewein from Provost, Alta., is visiting Isadore Lang.

BORN.

INGLIS—In Howick, March 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Inglis a son.

WANZEL—In Carrick March 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wanzel a daughter.

HUBER—In Carrick on Feby. 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Simon Huber, a daughter.

See that your stovepipes are clean, and thus prevent an alarm of fire. Keep your patience when putting up the pipes, and if you have no shears, try the can-opener, if you want to cut a pipe.